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Shipping Reports.

The P. & O. str. Malacca reports, left Shanghar at 5/80 a mi, Oct. 13, experienced N.R. monsoon of variable strongth and a.m., on the 13th, passed 8.8. Sunda and Pristyama off Woosung bound in stopped and received a mail from Nagasaki from the latter steamer. Passed a steamer standing to Eastward at 3.30 a.m. on the 16th. and on same day the Spanish steamer Prim

The N. G. barque Juno, Capt. Iversen, from Newchwang, reports fine weather and steady N. E. monsoon all the passage to Hongkong.

The Brit. str. Ottawa, Capt. Edmonds, from Yokohama, reports fine weather and steady N.E. monsoon all the passage to Hongkong. On loth inst. passed the S.S. Dupleix, Ganges, and Labourdonnais bound

The Brit. barque Royal Diadem, Captain Wm. Thomas, from Nagasaki, reports, fine weather and light N.E. wind for first three days, then had fresh monsoon till arrival in

## Entertainments.

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New Advertisements.

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W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. Hongkong, October 18, 1869

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The Honorable H. B. GIBB, The Honorable W. KESWICK. The Honorable J. B. TAYLOR, The Honorable R. ROWETT,

THOS. PYRE, Esq., W. MACAULAY, Esq., J. BERWICK, Kad. A. Coxon, Esq. G. FALCONER, Esq. W. LIRMANN, Esq.

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New Advertisements.

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Hongkong, October 8, 1869.

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PACIFIC MAIL STRAM SHIP

The Steam-ship "JAPAN" will sail from flongkons

for Yokohama and Sen no.) are good; but the Engines require Francisco, on the 19th October, at 3 r. K. No Freight received after Noon of the

No Parcel Packages received after 5 P.M. Passengers are requested to be on board at 2 P.M., day of sailing.

Hongkong, October 9, 1869,

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA The British steamer: ARRATOON APOAR Captain GARDNER, will be des-

Despatches will close at 1 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, Cotober 12, 1869.

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will have immediate despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to BIRLEY & Co.

BUMATRA Captain MULLES, will have de-AUGUSTINE, HEARD & Cou

EUGENIO,"
LENAZ, Master, will have quick
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> FOR SINGAPORE. The British ship "COLDINGHAME,"

GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, October 12, 1869, FOR MANILA. The Spanish barque

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Hongkong, October 5, 1869, FOR NEW YORK. The A I British ship "OLIVER CROMWELL," will load at Whampos for the above port.

Hongkong, September 21, 1869. FOR NEW YORK The American ship

Hongkong, September 14, 1869. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The British barque .

WARSON, Master, will have quick despatch for the above port.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, September 27, 1869,

Hongkong October 15, 1869. COMPANY.

NOTICE

A. HARRIS.

patched for the above ports, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th instant at 2 p.m.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG. MAURI

Hongkong, October 1, 1869. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The American Ship

Hongkong, October 14, 1869 FOR YOKOHAMA:

The A 1 British barque "PETUNIA.

CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, October 13, 1869.

JAS, WHYTE, Master, For Freight or Passage, apply

GARDA QUE, Master, will hav quick dispatch for the above

Hongkong, October 11, 1869. FOR SINGAPORE & BOMBAY.





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Hongkong, October 7, 1869.

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Tue Contract Packet "EMEU" will disparched with the usual Mail, for Europe &d. on TUESDAY, the 19th Getober, at 9 L.k., and the Post Office will be open for the reception Ordinary Letters, Letters for Registra tion, Newspapers, Books, &c., until P.M. on the 18th October. do, may be posted in the night box from 8 P.M. on the 18th October until A. do the following morning. 1 Letters posted between 7 and 8 A.M.

on the 19th October will be charge able, in addition to the usual postage ith & Late Fee of 18 cents. time for posting Letters at this Office is 8 A.M. and for Newspapers Books, or Patterns 7 A.M. on the 19

Further, late letters (but Letters only) ad dressed to the United Kingdom vid Marseilles or to Singapore, may posted on board the Packet from 8.30 o 8.50 A.M. on payment of a late fee 1 48 cents each, in addition to the postage, after which no Letters can

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l correspondence for places to which. ayment is compulsory must be prepaid Hongkong Postage Stamps. antiveramped Letters addressed

addition to the postage. Letters posted after 7 A.M. on the 19th October will not be forwarded unless the Dote Fee as well as the postage is

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4.—Alphabetical Lists of Money Order Offices in the United King shewing the Counties in which they are situated, are hung up for public refer ence at this Office, and also at Shanghai

5.-Applicants for Money Orders mus furnish, in full, the surname, and, at least the initial of one Christian name, both o the Remitter and the Payee; if the Remit ter br Payee be a Peer or a Bishop, his for dinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, th usual designation of such firm, such Baring Brothers" will suffice; but the mere term Messis, auch as Messis. vington," or the name of a Company trad charged with a fine of One Shilling in ing under a title which does not consist the names of the persons composing it, such as "Carron Co." is inadmissible.

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the name of the receiving Bank, and be presented by some Person known to be in the employ of such Bank. 8. The aignature of the Payee of a Monev Order to be affixed to the Order in the

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his address in the presence of the Officer who pays the Order, 9.—Should the Payee of a Money Order Legire to receive payment in the Country in which the Order was manued, at some other Office than that in which the Order was originally drawn, the transfer will be granted provided the Order be inclosed to the Postmaster of the Office in which it was

drawn. In such case a new Order will be issued, the Commission chargeable upon which will be deducted from the amount of HONGE CHA be granted on a waited application from the Payee, (containing the necessar

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12.—But when it is desired that any error in the name of the Remitter or Payee should be corrected or that the amount of Money, Order should be repaid to the Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should be renewed for payment in the Country in which the Order was originally drawn, application must be made to the Chief Money Order Office of such Country. application must be accompanied by an additional Commission, unless it have reference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the Commission will be deducted from the

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15.—If an Order be not paid before the end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after hat in which it was drawn, - for instance drawn in January and not paid before the end of the following January—all claim inder peculiar circumstances, the Post Office of the Country in which the Order was drawn-think-proper to-allow-it.

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F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General General Post Office Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

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CHINESE PILOTAGE SERVICE.

GENERAL REGULATIONS WITH LUCAL RULLS FOR THE

PORT OF SWATOW.

GENERAL REGULATION I I. Bye Laws and Local Kules.

L. Bye-Laws and Rules necessary the better ordering of pilotage matters a the Ports are to be drawn up by the Harbour Master in consultation with the Consula and Chamber of Commerce, with whom also it rester in the same way to fix the number of Pilots, tariff of charges, and define the limits of the Pilotage ground. 2.—The number of Pilots for the Port of

Swatow shall be six. 3.—The Pilotage ground for the Port Swatow shall be off Bill Islet to the lower limit of the unchorage Lahohio Point. 4. The rates of pilotage shall be as follows for all sixed vessels between the limits of the Pilotage ground : steamers or sailing vessels, \$2.50 per foot English measurement. To Harbour Filot for Berthing or Unberthing, 50 cents per foot English measure-

II. Priots Individuals Eligible. The subjects, citizens or proteges of Treaty Powers shall, equally with Natives of China and without distinction of mationality be eligible for appointment when vacancies by the Board of Appointment, subject to the General Regulations now issued, and the Bye-Laws to be under them enforced at the several Ports respectively.

GENERAL REGULATION II.

GENERAL REQUIATION III. III. Board of Appointment, how to be

The Board of Appointment shall consist of the Harbour Master as President. or a) Senior Pilot, and two persons whose names shall be drawn by lot, by the Har bour Master, from a list prepared and lished by the Harbour master in consult tion with the Consuls and Chambers GENERAL REGULATION IV.

Vacancies: how to be filled up. 1. Whenever there may be a vacan amnog the Pilots, it shall be duly notified the local prints; and eight days afterward the Board of Appointment shall proceed fill it up by a competitive examination. 2 The Board may refuse to admit the examination any one who, having been a Licensed Pilot, has had his Licens withdrawh, and also any candidate who is unable to procure Consular Certificates

to Character, &c. 3.—The examination shall be public an gratuitous, and the vacancies shall be given to the most competent among the caudidates without distinction of nationality; provided always the competency of the first on the list be not relative but absolute

4.—The Consul concerned may in person or by deputy, be present and take part in the examination of candidates well . 6. The majority of the votes of th members of the Board shall decide admission of candidates for Pilots' Li each member having one vote in the

Ballot, but in the absence of the Consu concerned the Harbour Master shall have GENERAL REGULATION V. Pilots Licenses; by whom to be issued. 1. - Pilots' Licenses shall be issued by the Commissioner of Oustoms in the name and on behalf of the Chinese Government censes issued to Pilots not being natives of China shall subsequently be vised and egistered at the Consulate concerned.

.2 Every Licensed Pilot shall be given printed copy of the General Regulations and Local Rules and shall produce the same as well as his License when required. 3.—On the first of July each year ever Pilot shall pay the sum of Ten Haikwan Taels for the renewal of his License

GRNERAL REGULATION VI. Apprentice Pilote; how to be taken. it shall be allowable for each License Pilot to take an apprentice, for whom shall be responsible; on the application Pilots, the Harbour Master will supply Ap rentices with special certificates.

2.—When the circumstances of the Port appear to demand it, the Harbour Master may authorize apprentices to act temporarily and within certain limits, as Pilots provided they have received certificates of tf competency from the Board of Appoint-

GENERAL REGULATION VII. Licensed Pilote; to whom subordinated Unlicensed Piloting, &c.

1 .- Licensed Pilots may carry on thei business either singly or in Companies They must pay due respect to the wisher and instructions of the Harbour Master under whose order and control they are placed, and who is invested with power to suspend or dismiss, subject to an appeal to generally to all who are interested in orithe Consul concerned; when the Pilot is a ental antiquities. It deserves to be better Foreigner, the appeal to be lodged within known in India.

2.—If guilty of any misconduct for which Consular punishment has been inflicted, or if proved to have committed any offence against Revenue Laws, the individual concerned may be suspended or dismissed by the Harbour Master, subject to an ai peal to his Consul If a Foreigner, appeal to be lodged within three days. 3 .- Any one piloting without a License shall be subject to prosecution before own authorities, who will deal with offender in accordance with the Laws of Country. Any Pilot lending his License another will be proceeded against and deal with in the same way, in addition to forfeit-

ing his License. 4.—Any Commanding Officer employing an unlicensed person to pilot his vessel

GENERAL REGULATION VIII. Pilot Boats: Regulations to be observed. their crews at the Harbour Master's Office, Boat" shall, with the number, be legibly Mainsail; and a flag, of which the upper its divisions, streets, and places. horizontal half shall be yellow, and the lower green, shall be flown. Such register- of the Treaty I orts of Japan will be found ed Pilot Boats shall deposit their national a succinct history of that Empire, together papers with their Consul or the Customs; with remarks on its government, geography, they shall be at liberty to move freely and limits, which will be found particularly within the limits of the Port and Pilotage interesting as throwing a considerable light

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Master or his deputies, it will be obligatory on registered' Filot Boats to convey from place to place within the limits, employes belonging to either Customs or Harbour Master's Departments, with such stores as may be wanted for either Light-houses or

2.—Every Licensed Pilot Boat shall pay a fee of Twenty Taels for renewal of License on the first of July each year. 3. - In case of a Pilot going off in an unregistered Boat, he will be authorized to carry the Pilot Boat Flag during the time he is on board; but no Pilot is authorised to cruize in an unregistered Boat, without special permission from the Harbour Mas.

4.—The owner or hirer of any unregis. ered Boat making use of a Pilot Flag, and not having a Licensed Pilot on board, shall be prosecuted before the authorities to whom he is amenable, or whose Flag or national Ensign he has the right to use. 5 .- A registered Pilot Bost is not permitted to fly the Pilot Flag, save when there is either a Liceused Pilot or certificated Apprentice on board.

GRNERAL REGULATION IX Flags to be exhibited on arrival. When nearing the anchorage the Pilot shall cause to be exhibited-A Red and White Flag (No. 3), if the vessel is from Hongkong, Japan, or any Chinese Port. A Blue and White Flag (No. 2), if from any Foreign Port.

A Yellow and Blue (No. 10), if the vessel A Red Swallow Tail (No. 5), if the vessel has gunpowder or other combustibles on

GENERAL REGULATION X: Harbour Pilots : Vessels in Harbour

1.-The duties of the Harbour Pilot where such exists, will be to take charge of vessels at the outer limit of the anchorage berth them in accordance with the orders received from the Harbour Master's Department, take charge of vessels shifting berth, going in and out of dock, or to and rom a wharf or out of the auchorage, and to assist and report to the Barbour Master's Office all matters concerning the shipping in Port, and the conservancy of the river or barbour.

2.—In berthing vessels the Harbour Master will; as far as possible, meet the wishes of Commanding Ufficers and Consignees and the entrance, working or clearance of vessels taking berths not assigned to them, shall be stopped by the Customs until the Harbour Master's orders are complied with, 3. - Vessels are to moor in accordance vith orders received from the Herbour daster, and they are not to remove from he anchorage without his permission.

4.—The Harbour Pilotage, Fees payable the Harbour Master are as follows :---Shifting a vessel's berth; taking a vessel or from a heaving down Hulk; \$10, in

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FIRST DAY. WEDNESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER, 1869. TIEST RACE -1 P.M. For Single Pair Sculling Boats. Distance I mile. Prize \$50.00 To be competed for by mer who have never won a sculling race in China or Elsewhere. Entrance fee.

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SECOND RACE. -1.30 P.M. For Boats pulled by Non-Commissioned Officers and men of any Regiment or Corps in Garrison. Distance L mile. Prizes : lat Boat, \$20; 2nd, \$10. Time for Cars. Eutrance fee \$1.00. Officers may offiste au corswains if necessary.

THIRD RACE. -2.30 P.M. For Four Oared Canton Cutters, Distance 1 mile anda half. Prize the Chairman's Oup value \$250. Entrance fee. \$10.00. FOURTH RAUE 3 P.M. FOR Men-of-war Distance 1 mile. Prices Lat Bost, \$20; 2nd, \$10,000 (Firms for Cars. o Entries received by R. Hawke, Esq., until noon on Monda 22nd November. Entrance fee, \$1.00 FIFTH RACE .- 8.30 P.M. For Pair Cars and 2 Pair Sculling Boats. Distance

Value Entrance fee, \$5.00. SIXTH RACE. -4 YPM For House Boats pulled by Chinamen. Distance I mile Prizes: 1st Boat \$15.00 ; 2nd, \$5.00. Entrance feer \$10000 ft. in the line in the SEVENTH RACE. 4.80 PM TOFOT Four

Oared Canton Cutters. Distance I mile. Prize, -- Winners of Chairman' Cup excluded. Entrance fes, \$10.00. EIGHTH RACE -5 P. M. For Cancer Dis tance i mile. 1st Prize \$50.00; 2nd \$20.00; 3rd \$10.00. No fouling al

SAILING RACE. - For all Open Boats, Chinese excepted. First Boat, \$25.00; second \$10.00.1 Course to be specified here after | Entrance, \$2. HARBOUR VACHT RACE .- For lall Yachts. Particulars of course de to be named

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ONINGO MOLICES Of Firms. AAR, S. W. POMEROY, JR., is suthorised III. to sign our Firm by procuration on Roochow nutil further notice. RUSSELL & Co.

Ching, October L. 1869. adt not grass norice. FITHE interest and responsibility of Mr RICHIRD DEACON in our Firm ceased on the Such September ultimo.

Hongkong, October 1, 1869. ATTE have suthorized Mr. HORMASJEE COUVERJEE to sign our Firm from this day in Chinadas

Hongkong, September 22, 1869.

CAWASJEE PALLANJEE & Co.

HE interest and responsibility of the late Mr. HENEY DAVIES MARGESSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last and Mr MORTIMER EVELYN MURRAY WAS admitted a partner therein on the July. MARGESSUN & Co. Hongkong, August 2, 1869.

TATE have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

A BELLO POTIOE, THE Business of KINNBAR & Co., Footill clow, will be carried on from and 26 20 20 20 20 KINNEAR, LARKEN & Co. by 4. tie partners tlierein being, Mr WILLIAM 15 BALTOUR KINNEAR and Mr THOMAS LIAN-CARLE LIRE AN. WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR.

Foodhow, May 1, 1869. R. FRITZ RAPP, has been duly author ised to sign our Firm per Procuration from this date. F. BLACKHEAD & Co.

Hongkung, June 15, 1869,

Notices of Firms.

HAVE this day established myself as PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-USTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT, "C. LANGDON DAVIES. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

CUVERS, Table CLUTHS and NAPKINS, The Premises are built one Marine Lot No all sizes, SilkETINGS, Navy Blue Broad 101, and are held under Lease from the CLOTH, Silk UMBKELLAS, Blue and Crown for 909 years, subject to a Crown Black Glace. SILKS, Book MUSLINS, rent of £30 per annum. The Premises are CASES and BAGS, BALL CARDS and PENCILS, ROBO. WATER CRACKERS,

S. W. BAKER & Co. Hongkong, September 9, 1869.

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> JUST RECEIVED PER MISTI DIRECT PROM FRANCE.

RENCH BUTTER, in Bottles 1 lb. each, \$12 per dozen. GRUYERE CHEESE, in good order MACARONI, in cases o lbs. each, \$2 per VERMICELLI Do: Do.

ITALIAN PASTE, for Soups, 8 lbs. nett per case, 83. SALAD Olt. I dozen case, \$5. RENCH VINEL R, Quart Bottles, in cases of 1 dozen, \$4.50. O. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, September 27, 1869.

FOR SALE. IFTY cases Gennine Duc de Monte bello" OHAMPAGNE of first quality, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, September 24, 1869. oc24

FOR SALE Ex Chetuh British Empire, Invincible And Others.

AT MODERATE PRICES. NEW INVOICES OF CHAMPAGNES, HEIDSIECK & Co.'s Dry MONOPOLE, in quarts and pints, first class Dry Perrier, Jouet & Co.'s Pale CREAM-ING, in quarts and pints, first class Dry De St. Marceaux & Co.'s CARTE BLANCHE SEC, in quarts and pints, first

class Dry Wine. Runnard Pere & Fil's Carte BLANCHE, in quarts and pints EUGENE CLIQUOT, in quarts, pints and half-pints. The Bullet VIN DAY MOUSSEUX, in quarts and ADOLPH COLLINS, in pinta

White & Co.'s Pale Dry SHERRY, white Duff Gordon's Pale Dry SHERRY hite seal (very dry). Duff Gordon's Pale Dry SHERRY, Duff Gordon's Pale Dry SHERRY

Bass & Co., in wood and bottle. BARQUAY PERKINS & Co., in hogsheads. Guiness extra DUBLIN STOUT, By 6. & T. Burke, in quarts and pints. GINGER BRANDY, GINGER WINE, ORANGE BITTERS. Kinahan's L' WHISKEY, in glass Old Scotch Islay WHISKEY, in glass.

Hennessy BRANDY Swaine & Boord's ULD TOM. TRUFFLES, in a and a tins. TRUFFLED PATES, in & and & tins. Patent GELATINE. LUAF SUGAR Teyssonneaux FRUITS, in Inice and

Teyssonneaux JAMS and JELLIES. Crosse & Blackwell's OLLMAN STORES comprising every requisite for Families and Compton's HAMS, OHEESE, and Breakast BACON, in tins. Preserved MEATS, in 11b. 21b. 41b. 61b. SOUPS, FISH, GAME and VEGET ABLES, of every description,

Yellow Split PEAS, Regulation LIME TULOE, BLACKLEAD, PLUMBAGO, PUMICE-STUNE, etc. etc. LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, August 30, 1869.

FOR SALE, Ez "Sumuel Kussell." ORDEN'S Condensed MILK (Fresh) Ex " Chusan." Scotch SALMON, Finden HADDOCKS and Lie BSTERS, in I lb. Ting. Also choice variety of SOUPS in 1 lb. Tins. 0022 sunting to the state of Wellington Street.

Hongkong, August 24, 1869. EX MAIL STEAMER INKENCH KID GLOVES, Colored and

S. W. BAKER & Co. Hongkong, September 24, 1869

TOR SALE, 600 Barrels Best Portland CEMENT FREDERIO DEGENAER. Hongkong, September 28, 1869. oc23

L OR SALE, at the VICTORIA FOUND. Ry Spring Gardens 144) 25 tons of SHEET IRON, 5 by 2 to 8

Staffordshire SCRAP. 20 , t, 1 LOOMOOR, of sizes. BAR IRON, from 1 to 5 inches round. FLAT IRON, of all sizes. 3.000 Boiler TUBES, from 2 to 81 of

1 Patent Fan Blast ENGINE and FAN on same foundation to melt 3 tons per hour. | | Road, well situated. Cost Price, \$600 dollars, Hongkong, September 8, 1889

For Sale.

FOR SALE RESH Californian HAY and OATS. RUSSELL'& Co. Hongkong, August 21, 1869.

Under power contained in the Mortgage

FOR SALE.

A LL those valuable fremises situate in Hongkong, abutting on Queen's Road in the Bouth, and partly on the Praya on I URNITURE DAMASK, GIMP vand the North, formerly occupied by Messrs. LOOPS, Embroidered OLUTH, Vel- Smith, Kennedy & Co., and now in the ocvet PILE, Printed and other TABLE oupation of Messra, K. Schellhass & Co. Wool WORK, Lace GOODS; Dreating spacious and siry, and the ground comprisee an area of 14,400 square feet

SEXHOLDON MERCER & Co. Those valuable Premises adjoining the above on its Western boundary, formerly in the occupation of the Asiatic Bank, and built on Inland Lot No. 514. These Premises are likewise held under a Crown Lease for 999 years, subject to a Crown rent of £24 10s. per annum, and the Lot contains an area of 6,760 square feet. The above valuable Property will be sold by Public Auction in Hongkong on some early day (of which due notice will be given),

For further particulars, apply to MESSES, SMITH AKCHER & Co., HENRY C. CALDWELL, E.Q.

unless previously disposed of by private

Houses and Lands

Hongkong, 3rd August, 1869.

METAL TONDET VERY commodious Premises in Queen's Road Central, including a most convenient suite of rooms on ground, first, or second Story, with godowns. Terms very moderate And Devil Rolls Kills Address "X. X X Care of China Mail

Hobgkong, October 12, 1869. TO LET. From the 1st December next. HE Eligible Residence situated above Bonham Road, recently in the occunation of M. Bosman, Esq. For Particulars, apply to

BOB B WALKER & Co. Hongkong, October 9, 1869 FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET. NIO. A Pechile Terrace, ELGIN STREET. - neatly furnished with good Englishmade FURNITURE, with possession from

let November ? evous one ret single. "Apply to o'Lanar, of hear period and reco LANES CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, October 1, 1869.

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No. 7, corner of Hollywood & Cochrane St. Hongkong, Ootober 1, 1860. TO LET. With Immediate Passession.

10. 4 Pechali Terrace, Elgin Street. LANE, ORAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, September 29, 1869,

With Immediate Possession. BUNGALOW at Pokefolum. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, September 1, 1869.

TO LET. TOUSES in Mosque Terrace (Caine Road), newly painted and in the

rough repair. Water laid on Apply to JOHN GERRARD.

Hongkong, July 3, 1869. FOR SALE OR TO LETHING HAT desirable Residence No. 17 Caine

Road, consisting of DWELLING HOUSE, with Out bouses and Stabling for 4 Horses attached, lately occupied by the Honble. W. H. KENNIE. The House has been recently redecorated and is in thorough repair.

Apply to JOHN GERRARD. Hongkong, August 10, 1869.

TO LET. With Immediate Possession I WO Commodious Two-Storled Granite GODOWNS, at Wanchi, (adjoining the Union Dock Company's Timber! Yard on which property, also, STORAGE can be had at moderate terms. For particulars, apply to

LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, April 26, 1868.

TAKE TO LET. With Immediate Possession. HE Upper and Lower part of the HOUSE on PEDDER'S WHARF, lately occupied by THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, July 16, 1869.

TO BE LET 1TH Possession from the 1st October next, the HOUSE AND OFFICE No. 9. Gough Street, at present occupied by Messra KIRCHNER BUGER & Co.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, June 80, 1869. TO LET. HE HOUSE No. 6, West Terrace, Caine Road, newly painted and coloured throughout 12 (12) Here is a service

THOS W. BARRINGTON. 53, Wyndham St Hongkong, June 19, 1869,

CLUB CHAMBERS, D'AQUILAR STREET. FEW Sets of these desirable Onam-BERE are now vacant, and can be had

on reasonable terms. Apply to

Hongkong, February 5, 1869. TO LET. ONE FLOOR of a house in Queen's HOB, S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, March 28, 1869

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Houses and Lands.

T. TO. LET. Abs. Z. abs. das (With immediate possession.) CEVERAL Strong New GODOWNS, yer conveniently situated on Marine Lot No. 63, between Messrs John Buro & Co. premises and Messrs Gibb, Livingston & Co.'s Wharf. thereigher, excitain .. For Particulars, apply to

A. McLEOD, At Mesers Gibb, Livingston & Co. Hongkong, April 26, 1869. TO LET. ITH immediate possession, the House

lately occupied by Measrs A. WILKINSON Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

and Offices, No. 4, Gough Street

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE. HE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Merchandise, in their own Boats, and to receive the same on STORAGE in First class Granite godowna, on Moderate Terms. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, March 4. 1866.

Sanda TO LET. HE very conveniently situated HOUSE No. 1, in Caine Road, commanding splendid view of the Harbour. It contains eight Rooms, Stabling for two Ponies, and the necessary Out-houses. Gas and Water are laid on all over the house.

For Particulars, apply to WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, July 2, 1869.

TWO HOUSES TO BE LET RECENTLY put in thorough Repair, si-Westward, and an easy distance from the Queen's Road, Apply to MR. BARRINGTON:

Hongkong, May 13, 1868. New Advertisements.

Wundlam Street.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO The British Ship LADY BOWEN," Woodcook, Master, will follow the Jewess for the above port and have despatch.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, October 16, 1869.

FEW very choice Havannah CIGARS warranted genuine. LANE, CHAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, October 16, 1869.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo per Company's Steam-ship " Tigre," are requested to send in their Bills of Lading, for countersignature, and to take delivery of their Goods before the 18th Inst, at Noon, or they will be landed and stored at their risk and expense.

C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent Hongkong, October 16, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION. ANE CRAWFORD & Con have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on the Auction of

THURSDAY, the 21st October at Noon; at No. Alexandra Terrace, the residence of M

DE COLARTE, Esq.,— The whole of the Household FURNI FURE, comprising Tables, Chairs, Sofas Chimney Glass, Sideboard, Pictures Punkaha, Electro Plated Ware, Dinner and Dessert Services, Glassware, Writing Table, Bedsteads, Dressing Table, Toile Mirror, Wardrobe, Washetand, Lamps, A very handsome 4-light Chandelier.

TERMS OF SALE. Cash before delivery Morican Dollars weighed at 7 All lots with all errors of description, at purchaser's risk on the fall of the ham-

Hongkong, October 16, 1869 HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBEI

OF COMMERCE. HE Market Circulars, prepared by the CHAMBER, will in future be issued late on the afternoon of the day preceding the departures of the fortnightly P. & O. Mail bteamers. Subscribers are requested to send for their copies between the hours

of 4 P.M. and midnight. Secretary. Club Chambers.

Hongkong, July 20, 1869. 对于2号有自己是近天中国的工作。19世纪时代

NOTICE. INSURANCE COMPANY The Annual Bates for FIRE INSURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will remain, as follows, until fur-

ther notice, vis. Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their per cent. Contents, Other Dwelling Houses (similarly aituated) and their } per cent. Contents. Offices and Godowns and their

Contents. Other Risks by special arrangement. The following rates will be charged for Short Period Policies; Not exceeding 10 days | per cent. Not exceeding One per cent.

Month,
Above One Month

and not exceeding } i per cent. Three Months, Above Three Months and not exceeding } { per cent. Six Months, Above Six Months, Thefull Annual Rate of 1 per cent. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Hougkong, September 18, 1869.

Agents Royal Insurance Company.

New Advertisements.

NAGASAKI PATENT SLIP. HIS SLIP is now available for docking Ships of 1, 200 Tons or under, and all work connected therewith, as also in the SHIPWRIGHTS, JUINERS, BUAT BUILDERS, SPAR-MAKERS, and general departments is under experienced European Superintendence. The SLIP has been most substantially constructed, in perfectly land-locked and secure position, and has been pronounced by competent authority as equal to any existing works of the same kinden

Charge, for three days use of the Slip, One Dollar per ton, and all labour, material, &c., supplied on moderate terms. For further information, apply to: GLUVER & Co.,

Nagasaki, Japan,

SAYLE & Co., VICTORIA EXCHANGE,

HAVE RECEIVED EX MAIL STEAMER.

HONG KONG.

Large assortment of MILLINERY BONNETS, and HATS, of the

A Choice assortment of SILK, MUS-LIN. and GRENADINE, for Evening will, in future, be sent in the Mails for

A fine assortment of new French FLOW-ERS, HEAD-DRESSES and FEATHERS

A large assortment of new TRIM MINGS and FRINGES in all colors,

of Miss will liked a read extent Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid GLOVES, in white and colors, all sizes.

Gentlemen's Drab Shell and Felt HATS ich which of a few builty . Had

with while bearing out of the strait of Blue and Green GOSSAMERS. &c.

and commented Same of BRANCH ESTABLISHMENT

20, Foochow Road, Shanghai Hongkong, February 8, 1869.

LATEST SHIPPING.

Oct. 16, Haze, Amer. ship, 862, Foresyth, San Francisco, Aug. 17, General. KUSSELL & Co. Ost. 16, Cockchafer, H. B. M. gunboat,

Lieut Hewitt; Namos, 18th October. PASSENGERS. Per Haze, -Mr Harper.

Kwang Tung, for Swatow. Columbian, for Saigon Eleanor, for Nagasaki. Strathmore, for Bangkok. Walter, for Bangkok. Sir J. Jesiechloy, for Whampon, Hermione, for Whampoa. Juno for Whampoa: Rugene de Adele, for Pondicherry.

SHIPPING REPORTS The American ship Haze, Captain Fore ayth, from San Francisco, reports had light weather as far as Mariana Island, thence

squally and rainy weather, which lasted

until the 15th Oct., when had fine weather till arrival in port; 59 days out. H. B. M. gunboat Cockchafer reports left Hongkong 13th Oct. Visited Namos and Tinting in Mira Bay, Samen and Ty pong Harbor and returned on 16th Oct

QUOTATIONS

days and N.E. breeze on 16th.

Experienced fine calm weather first two

Hongkong, 16th October 1869 OPIUM.—Patna, New, ... \$5433 Old, ... 515 a 520 Benares, New, 5211 Malwa, Persian, COTTON. BONDAY, .... 19 a 23 CALOUTTA, 18 a 221 Exchange. Bank, 6 months' sight,

On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 2261 Shanghae, 3 days' sight, Bank, Tis. 2261

Bar Silver, 17 dwta. B., dexicana. Gold Leaf, 999 touch, ... 28.15 Gold Bar, 98 touch, ... 22.75 a 23, English Sovereigns, .... -. 4.51 Australian Sovereigns, Discount, 8 a 10 Gas Company Shares, ... H. & W. pos Dock, Old, ... 13 p. c. disc. Hongkong, 23rd September, 1869. H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, ... 25 prem. Do, do. New, 141 p. c. pre. Union Dock ... ... 50 p. c. dis.

Temperature.

Honokong, 16th October 1869. (Taken at Mesers Falconer & Co.'s Premises, Queen's Roads) THERMOMETER-9 A.M., Dry, . . . 79

4 P.M., Dry, . . 79 Self-registered Maximum, Do, Min. over night, 77 BAROMETER .- 9 A.M.,

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

MAILS WILL CLOSE:-For SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CAL-Per GLENARTNEY, on Wednesday, the 20th Instant, at 1 P.M.
SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CAL.

CUTTA. Per ARRATOON APCAR, on Wednesday, the 20th Instant, at 1.30 P.M. For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

Per KWANG TUNG, on Sunday, the 17th ipst, at 7.30 A.M. For SWATOW, AMOY & FUOCHOW,

Per "AZOF," at 9.30 A.M. on Wednesday, the 20th instant For SAIGON .-Per "PILGER," on Monday, the 18th

instant, at 9.30 P.M. 1. It is hereby notified for genera information that, the Contract between the Government of Mauritius and the Union Steam-ship Company, for the Conveyance of Mails once a Month between Ceylon and Mauritius, and between Mauritius and Natal, having terminated, the correspondance for Mauritius will be forwarded from this Office in the Mail for Aden, from whence it will be sent to its destination by the French Mail Packets leaving Aden for Reunion and Mauritius on the 23rd of each

2. No alteration has been made in the rates of Postage on correspondence addressed to Mauritius. 3. As the communication with Natal and the Cape of Good Hope is thus cut off, the correspondence for those Colonies, unless marked to be forwarded by Private Ship

London at the following rates of Postage, which must be paid in advance, vis; Upon Letters sent by way of Southampton, .... 46 cents each or.

When sent by way of Newspaper via Southampton, .... 4 Newspapers via Marseil-Book Packets via South-

oz., 20 cents, above 4 oz. and not, ex-ceeding 8 oz.; and 20 cents for every additional 8 oz. Book Packets via Marseilles, 14 cents under 4 oz.; 28 cents above for and not exceeding 8 on ; and 28 cents for every additional & ounces;

F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General General Post Office, Hongkong, 9th September, 1868. TI is hereby notified for general informa-

tion that henceforward the Postage chargeable on Book and Packets of Patterns addressed to the United States of America transmitted via the United Kingdom will be as follows, viz :-FIG SOUTHAMPTON. Under 4 ounce, - - - 12 cents. Above 4 ounce and not exceeding 8 ounce. - - - 24 Above 8 ounce and not exceeding 12 ounce, - - -Above 12 ounce and not exceeding 16 ounces - - 48 For every additional 4 oz. 12

VIA MARSEILLES. Under 4 ounce, - 16 cents. Above 4 onnce and not exceeding 8 ounce. Above 8 ounce and not exceeding 12 ounce, - - -Above 12 ounce and not exceeding 16 ounce. For every additional 4 oz., 16 Prepayment of the Postage is compulsory

F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General. General Post Office Hongkong, June 18, 1868,

It is hereby notified, by order of His Excellency Sir Richard Graves MacDonnell, that henceforward, the rates of Postage chargeable on Packets of Printed Papers or Patterns of light weight sent from Hongkong to the United Kingdom when forwarded via Southamptom, will be as follows

For a Packet not exceeding one For a Packet above one and not exceeding two ounces,.... 4 cents. and of double these rates when forwarded via Marsoilles. Packets of greater weight than two ounces will remain subject to the same rates

as are now chargeable, viz. : 8 cents for every four ounces when forwarded via Southampton, and 12 cents for every four ounces when forwarded via Marseilles .... This alteration will apply to Printed Circulars, Price Lists, Market Reports and all printed papers other than Newspapers, as well as to Books and Trade patterns or

samples. F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, 12th August, 1869.

It is hereby notified for general informstion that under the Provisions of a Treasury Warrant, which will come into operstion on the 1st October next, correspondence addressed to Constantinople will be forwarded at the following reduced Rates of Postage, which must be paid in advance,

For LETTERS : 20 cents each half-an-ounce weight. FOR NEWSPAPERS, PACKETS OF PATTERNS, AND BOOKS : 2 cents each two onnces up to half-pound, and 8 cents for every additional half-pound.

F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General. General Post Office.

UNDER DESPATOH. For Singspore, Penang and Caloutta .-Per Glenariney, on Wednesday, the 20th instant, at 2 p.m. For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta .-For Arratoon Appear, on Wednesday, the

20th instant, at 2 p.m. For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. -- Per Kwang Tung, on Sunday, the 17th inst at 8 a.m. For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. - Per

Azof, at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, the 20th For Baigon. - Per Pilger, on Monday, 80.040 the 18th instant,

-Canon Beach. is celebrated on the month, at the 11 o the Third Sunday in EM. Of -Union-Church. Morris. Morning Se ing, 6,30 P.M. 1

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Last Mass. In the af

Catochism in Chi ROMAN CATHOLIC Point. In the morn In the evening, at 6 Benediction. ST. STEPHEN'S MIS

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Rev. Lo Sam Yuen. -The same. BERLIN FOUNDLING the German language, on every Sunday, at I the Chapel of the Ber West Point. SAILOR'S HOME. -1 6 P.M. Canon Beach

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HONGKONG: BATURD THE BURLING!

By the French mail

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F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General: ost Office. 12th August, 1869

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PALICHOUS BERVICES ON SUNDAYS IN HONGKONG.

JOHN'S CATHEDRAL - Morning, 11 o'clock-Canon Besteln to the thoon 4 o'clock Canon Beach. The Holy Communion in celebrated on the First Sunday in every month at the 11 o'clock setvice; and on the Third Sunday in every month, at 8,30

-UNION CHUROH. Minister Rev. D. B Morris, Morning Service, 11 a.M.; Evenink, 6.30 P.M. The subject for the eyening discourse will be the text : Yet . 1 loved Jacob, and I hated Esau," Mal. i. v.

ROMAN CATHOLICCATHEDRAL - Wellington Street. Very Rev. T. Raimondi, P. P. In the morning, at 5.30, List Mask 86.30, Sermon in English by the Rev. T. Borglignoli; at 7, 2nd Mass; at 8, High Mass with Sermon in Portuguese; at 9,30 Last Mass. In the afternoon, at 4 30, Catechism in Portuguese, English and Chinese; at 5, Sermon in Portuguese; at 5.30

ST. BRANCIS XAVIER'S CHAPEL .- Spring of the Salamis (the Galatea will, In the morning, at 7. Mass with Sermon in Chinese. In the afternoon; at Catochism in Chinese; at 5.30 Bene-

ROMAN CATHOLIC REPUBMATORY. West Point. In the morning, at 27.30, Mass. In the evening, at 6 o'clock Bermon with ST. STEPHEN'S MISSION CHAPEL .... (Ser-

vice in Chinese.) Morning 10 o'clock Bev. Lo Sam Yuen. Afternoon 3 o'clock. BERLIN FOUNDLING HOUSE. - Service in a cordial but a well-ordered reception. the German language, by Pastor E. Khitake, on every Sunday, at half-past ton & Marin the Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House,

HONGKONG BATURDAY, OCT. 16, 1869.

THE BURLINGAME OREDEN.

Mission, and specialistion has been rife as 28 tous, and her dimensions are as follow to the object of his sudden appearance and as sudden departure on the follow-That the affairs of the Mission king whither Mr Brown has proceeded, doings. Superstitious people say that. was a very matural and weibelieve well- cause she has been christened the Naiac founded supposition; but it twas not to she will of surety appropriate the other he expected that so able a diplomatistras that gentleman would reveal the objects which induced his return to China gare however able to state that the rus mour of his resignation was totally un few days at Kowloong. founded and that there is a possibi lity that the frame of mind in which The following paragraph is from the Japan to be is not so antagonistic to all of Mr Burlingame's proceedings as hes been magined. One thing is at least certain the speedy and we believe we may () say totally unexpected visit Mr Brown to Shanghai will enable him to at once disprove the possibly absure and injurious allegations brought against ...him and the eminent sinologues who share the responsibility of the translation of Men Burlingame's letter of appointment. We do not hesitate to express public subscription." our own conviction that his and their rendering is the correctione. . We have not "vet seen a copy of the Uhinese original, -but it is more than probable; that the translation "lesser states" in the N. C. -D. News' version is a simple case, of straw-splitting based on the supposed difference in status between the characters and Fi. At all events, Mr Brown

has but to furnish the Chinese text, and every sinologue in China may satisfy himself of the trath, or otherwise, of the assertionsmade. The general public might refuse to believe the dictum of one or two but every port in China, not excluding Hongkong, has residents capable of accurately udging of the merits of the controversy. and their united testimony would be irresistible. It is greatly to be hoped that this opportunity will be afforded. We differ distinctly from Mr. Burlingame's policy but we shall be glad to find that the wellknown scholars above alluded to, with Mr Brown, stand clear of an imputation literary controversy, and touches them as men of honor and probity. "Again, we

THE DUKES VISIT.

repeat the solution lies in the hands of

Mr Burlingame's friends.

It is much to be regretted that, when the elaborate preparations made in his honor are considered, H. R. H. the Duke of Edinburgh has been unable to forward a more precise intimation of the date about which we may expect his visit in this Colony. So humerous have been the gard sach fresh announcement as a mere those clan fights so common at places canarde sure to be contradicted by later where the Hakka and Punti ele men to be saved. Wherever I went the will be available for issue about March next advices. People are somewhat apt to ments are present side by side. The people liked very much to get the word of As part of the mint arrangements it is deride those who "make such a fuse stonecutters are all Hakkas, and the God. They were poor but mostly peace understood that the Oriental Bank Corpoabout a visit from a Prince "-especially carpenters, &c., are all Puntis. There ably inclined. I was only not able to get ration have secured for themselves a mono-Colony or country,—but forget that even fun he attraction a stone sutter house a royal visit has a business as well as a and smashing the house to pieces. The build a poor house, where the poor would in Yokohama, it appears that the total mers pleasure aspect. The money ex- origin of this riot, as is most frequently get food, clothing, shelter and good chris- quantity amounts to about one million, pended in receptions, illuminations, balls, the case, was a woman, some libertles hav- tlan instruction. For that purpose I com- equivalent for payment of Customs duties, freworks, &c.; goes to pay for labour as ing been (or supposed to have been) taken menced to collect some money this spring to nearly \$100,000. The Japanese officials real on the part of those who perform it with one of the stonecutter's wives; and (March). I expect to get at least two in sorting the niboos do not appear to have as that of the overworked and underpaid words of threatening soon ended in a row. thousand (2000) dollars and intend to com- anything more to guide them than slight wamstress at home who, with aching eyes and tired fingers, prepares the dress upon made; and as the number was given as Chinese for the poor, so that there is some to such a composite coin as the of some peeress about to be "presented" roughly 200 or 300, the Police had great thing wanting vet But I trust in God. I and as they can be because to take any at Court. Those to whom the adjuncts difficulty in quelling the riot. Hands and commenced this work to his honour and he shade of colour the authorities can, if they of a pageant sie a legitimate means of arms were cut and bleeding; and the lat will give his blessing to it. I like to men- 100se, re-issue with impunity all the livelihood have therefore reason on and 2nd prisoners were recognised as pro- tion that I am not bound on any outland- niboos sent in and true to the tactics they their side when they complain that they can get no certain information as to when their work has to be finished. We do hurt. One of the watchmen stated that ble Society, &c., that I am free of all men. The Currency Question has entered into

uncontrollable circumstances satisfactory and damaging

The latest report which we published

a day or two since states that the Duke, with Admiral Reppel, is expected to arrive about the 22nd, the same date as that fixed but a few days since for his arrival at Shanghai. The public are very desirous of knowing the order in which the ceremonies eproposed are take place, for reasons sufficiently obvious But it is easy to see that neither the Reception Committee nor any one else can at present say what the order of the programme will be. It may happen that a visit to Canton will take precedence of everything and this the way would be a judicious arrange ment, as the Colony would then be able to fix a positive date for the Duke's formal reception, the ball, etc. If Friday next is in truth to witness the arrival said, be sent on somewhat earlier order to commence refitting), it is to be hoped that an endeavour will be made to induce His Royal Highness to spend the latter instead of the former portion of his short visit in this Colony. As we said before business considerations enter into the conditions of every pageant even of Amateur Theatricals and it is desirable that they should meet with sufficient attention to ensure not merely

Shanghai paper received to day ..... We learn that the Duke of Edinburgh arrived at Tientsin on Saturday evening, and left early in the morning by boat, for rie did not wait to receive any hospitality on shore. The Admiral is said to be rushing him through his trip at high pressure speed, as he wants to get out of

One of the new yachts was launched this morning She is the property of Mr R. F. Hawke, was built by Mr Jack (East Point) and was christened with all the honours the wife of the owner. She is a cutter 55 feet over all, 11 feet beam, and 9 feet depth of hold, "Her lines, if equalled; not surpassed by those of any yacht in these parts, and many snart and keen yachtsme: are not a little auxious about her future besporting on the dolphins heads (i.e., the Douglas Challenge Cup) but we shall see We We understand that another of the candidates for this honour will be launched in

> Gazette of Oot. 8:-" Mr Barbard, the bar rister, was lately assaulted in the public streets by Mr Urquhart, a gentleman who was a (witness in a recent trial; and to whom the learned counsel applied epitheta of a very damaging character. In his de fence Mr Urqubart simply provocation he had received. His Lordship whilst upholding the majesty of the law, b inflicting the punishment on Mr. Urquhar of a \$25 fine, clearly gave Mr. Barnard to understand that he had overstepped the bounds of propriety, and hoped it would a warning to him. The fine was paid by

> THE Madras Athenceum says - People here are anxious to find out if the Duke of Edin burgh is going to favor Madras with a visit but so far no oue seems to know anything about it, but there is no doubt if he does no come there will be a howl of indignation. although one cannot see that his coming would do good, except to furnish an excuse for an extra ball or two

> > TO DAY'S POLICE.

Mr Russell on the Bench. disorderly manner in the street state of intoxication. As early as 6.30 last night prisoner was rushing about the street, stripped to the waist and difficulty he was removed to the Police not recovered from the effects of his state of "beuzine") frankly admitted that he was in a beastly state, and went so far as to say that he had been kindly treated by being removed to a place of confinement. He denied the fighting, however, and put it logically that (like all quarrels) it required two people to make a fight, although lie appeared to overlook the fact that one

was quite enough to make a "row." A Chinese hawker of tea and birds brought a charge against a seaman named Falker to the effect that he had unlawfully paid him a bad dollar ; but as a c mplainant admitted having examined the dollar stated that it was so bad (worth 2 cents)

Two carpenters and three coolies from Kowloong were charged with having raised

house was utterly demolished. His Wor .. necessitate a reticence which is both un ship having been informed that a renewal of the disturbance was expected to-night, remaided the prisoners until Monday, and informed all concerned that, if any further disturbance took place to-night, the prisoners would be very neverely dealt

Poon Achew, the house-boy formerly employed by Mr A. H. Chinoy, who is charged with having absconded after appropriating bills amounting to \$37.50 from bis master, was brought up on remand The bills had been entrusted with prisone for collection; and he disappeared from his employ on the 4th September 1867. Having returned lately from Bombay, complainant met his old servant in the street, and asked where he had been so long; but the Chinaman refused to recognise him, saying " do not know you." Mr Chinoy, however, had him arrested at once, and on going to the Registrar General's Office, Mr Osmund recognised the boy as complainant's servant The bills (2 of them) were produced, having been received from the persons who had paid them. - Defendant made a statement which was supposed to embrace his movements for the last two years or more said he was once in the employ of My Johannes, Canton, "a man who wore a large black hat " and he said he could produce witnesses to show that he was in Mr Chinoy's employ last year. The case was therefore remanded

In connection with this case, another step has to be reported -viz; the discharge of he prisoner under somewhat peculiar circumstances. About half-an hour after the case had been remanded, as above stated, Mr Chinoy returned with a respectable Chinese merchant, stating that he had made a mistake and charged the wrong man. had been told so by the respectable Chinese merchant present, whose word he relies upon; and he therefore would not go on farther with the case. - His Worship remarked on the conduct of the prosecutor and discharged the boy.

The case of robbery of a coil of rope, on auspicion of which offence the four seamen of the Peruvian and the bumboatman were retained on remand, was disposed of today:-Bis Worship remarked that he had consulted the Attorney General on the subject; and as it was his opinion that there was not sufficient evidence to convict the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 5th prisoners, they were accordingly discharged : The 4th man, however, named Wm. Shields (who gave the long confession detailing the robbery), committed for trial at the next Crimir Sessions of the Supreme Court.

The manslaughter case against Atsow-which may be readily recognised the "Scissor case" was resumed to-day when the dreary, barren, and monotonous repetition of the evidence before the Coro ner was proceeded with. Whether or not the examination is concluded we cannot

CORRESPONDENCE.

MAKING PROVISION FOR THE POOR.

Our readers will form their own opinion about this letter and its contents. know nothing about the writer. To the Editor of the " CHINA MAIL.

HONGHONG, October 16, 1869.

Stay With this I take the liberty to report of my last years labours. the United States to labour more hinese in this Country. After it aere, I at first stayed with Rev. Prestor and Rev. Hauspach, Esq., in Canton city about two months, during that time patiently waiting for some support of the British and Foreign Bible Society. that time was elapsed I went in the Coununder my special charge. But at the end sent an Envoy Extraordinary and Minister land is, and often as it has been predicted of the journey, after I had already paid the Plenipotentiary, in the person of Admiral that her sun was about to sink for ever, Colporteurs of my own money, I was Baron von Petz. His Excellency has ar- she is ever growing young again in her nightly robbed of all I had. Fortunately rived in the frigate Erzherzog Friedrick, ac i mortal youth. I made the discovery of it in due time, so companied by the Corvette Donau. He is rain was pouring down in torrents. Though the water was raising in the streets, the not be ceded on this occasion; but that the Private Turton (75th Regt.) was brought | my Chinese Bibles, so that I was enabled up on a charge of having behaved in a to bring the Colporteurs in good health and It is understood that in their treaty with has shown as on both shores of the ocean humour back to Canton city. Next I went with Bibles all alone up to Linchau and agreed to appoint no mercantile Consule. farther on to the aborigines Miautz. Being returned from there I heard that a grant of four hundred (400) New Testamenta was made to me by the British and Foreign Station. Defendant (who evidently had | Bible Society. As there was some diffi culty in getting my United States' pass. was honoured with a German passport Then I succeeded in sailing down to Haikau on Hainan via Lauchau. To my regret I found there some shipwreaked people, and after a short stay I returned with them via Macao. After I had been up the West river a small distance I commenced my fourney up to Peking. Via Swatow went to Amoy and though some of the missionaries were intriguing against it, I, by the grace of God, made a visit to Takao and Taiwanfoo (Formosa). In the China left Talwanfoo for Shanghai. From there the journey was via Chefoo and Tientsin to rive. Peking. I sold there four thousand (4000) | land of the proposed new issues, to have

besides New Testaments, &c. After a defendant was discharged. - The dollar was short stay I returned to here. Now I myself have sold very many thousands half and quarter ditto, and ten and five cent Bibles and New Testaments in China. preach to the people that there is but one a disturbance in the neighborhood of the God; God the father, God the son and Union Docks. Sergeant lowen described God the Holy Ghost, and these three are the row, which appears to have een one of one. That there is forgiveness of sins in Jesus Christ the son of God who wants all was a regular riot last night, those em- as many books as were desired. As soon poly of the supply of bullion on a commisfun by attacking a stone-cutter's house, poor in the streets, it was my intention to the return of the niboos in foreigners' hands A number of the stone-cutters got into the mence building after two years. To this differences in the colour of some of the house attacked, and a defence was there- time I have \$310 subscribed, and \$21 by coins, (a most fallacious test when applied mineut in the attacking party. Two of the ish society. That to this time I got no let- have hitherto adopted it is most likely they policemen were cut, and a European ter, that I never got any expenses or any- will do so. who assisted the Police was also alightly thing paid by the British and Foreign Bi-

last voyage was to Singapore, where I | that the Oriental Bank Corporation had spread a thousand (1000) New Testaments assisted the Japanese Government in the

besides Gospels, de. You will please excuse the short report, another time I hope to be enabled to give a was in contemplation to issue a Japanese fuller statement - With thanke, I remain, respectfully and truly yours in the Lord, REV. JOHN PAUL, ESQ.

INTERPRETING IN COURT. To the Editor of the "China Mail." Sir, May I ask for a space in you columns to make a few remarks relative to a subject in which every loyal citizen of this Colony is, or ought to be, deeply interested I refer to the subject of interpretation

under which, I may say, we suffer, whe called to the Supreme Court. I would ask if the European Powers that be have it in their hands to sit in judgment, convict sentence and execute, a Native Crimina and when during such a trial, the Inter preter is the mouth-piece of the Judge, Attorney General, Jury, Barrieters and Prisoner, as well as, perhaps the most important of all—the Witnesses—is it not simple justice to all, as well as the Defend ant, that the Interpreter should be not only man of thorough education, but, speaking of the Hongkong Supreme Court, a thorong and able scholar in both English and Chi aese? In fact, may I not ask if it is not serions misfortune to have it otherwise?

I am told that no one superior to the resent incumbent can be procured for the salary allowed, and I am truly surprised that such an utterance can emanate, wit support, from the authorities of a Colony which, under its able Ruler, has risen from Sankruptov to comparative affluence, as we are told, in a short three years and yet a few thousands cannot be spared to remunerate a man of education to act as Interpreter in our Courts of Justice. I assert the latter name is simply a perversion, under the control, as it is, of one who may (!) understand, but cannot pronounce either English or Chinese intelligibly and who, o ecessity, wastes a large portion of valuable time in eliciting what little evidence the

ury are finally obliged to accept Supposing it takes from £1200 a £1500 sterling per year to pay the salary of an ducated Interpreter—is there a more important subject for expenditure in this olony? Let any one carefully study its ast importance and answer to the contrary I he can. Is not the office of sufficient importance and respectability to be filled by some "Pet Lamb," who can give us the benefit of his education during the sittings of the Criminal Court, and at other times be employed in improving his knowledge the necessary study to perfect himself Or is property, honor, reputation and life itself of so little value that they can be subjected to the power of an incompetent

Trusting that this may attract the serious attention of those; who have the power to remedy,-I beg to remain,

A HOPEFUL JUROR.

JAPAN. By the P. & O. S. Ottawa we have Yoko-

The Gazette says :- Although an interval of three weeks has clansed since we last

It is to hoped that such concessions as will be taken as pattern in this instance. monplaces of statesmen at City feasts. Business although altogether improved. is hardly as active as we hope ere long drawing to a close, and many of the Italian buyers have already left. The season has

been very unfavourable for them, and the . The Telegraph believes that although the total export will not amount to half of that | coxswain of the Harvard boat steered au of last year. Probably, however, the quantity that reaches Europe will find a better market than did last year's crop. (From the Herald) THE JAPANESE MINT. -The question as to whether the mint should be established a Osaka or Yedo has been definitively decidwhere the works are now being activel on the business of manufacturing the nev coins, when the English employes shall ar-Drawings have been sent to Eng-

Gospel books and a thousand (1000) Acts the dies sunk without delay. The new coins are to be as follows :- a rio, of the same intrinsic value as the Mexic in dollar, a pieces (the rio to be centesimally divided) The new coins will be round, on the of verse the Mikado's armorial bearing, on th reverse an emblematical sun, and the value and name of the coin in Japanese characters. It is expected that the new mintage

not say that in this case it is any one's the stone-cutters were the first to begin so that I am in full liberty to go wherever I a new phase, which we were just in time even his heart away if he could find an fault; but it is none the less to be regret. throwing stones, and that the stone-cutter's think it needed in christian interest. My to indicate in our last. We then mentioned A phone making a design short

selection of competent officers to take The event of the week is a case which charge of their Mint for them, and that it dollar, of slightly higher touch than the

Mexican and of its full weight. The issue will also include a gold ten-dollar piece, which will be a legal tender as well as the patterns from which the dies are to be cut

work in which the Japanese excel. The Japanese authorities have recently

prise was felt, permission to erect a line beto a British merchant who some time back ondeavoured to induce the Government to allow of one. They have now, we hear, the execution of the work between this and Yedo. What is next wanted is a railway to connect the settlement with the Capital. If this a work of very little difficulty-were once laid, there is little doubt that it would be a most important s'ep the foreign merchants readier access to the products of the interior. Steam Communication will be opened in the course of few days by a splendid steamer named the City of Yedo, which has been built here especially for passenger traffic between this American firm, who will doubtless launch a similar craft for the same trade.

THE HARVARD-OXFORD BOAT

The Times does not hesitate to admit in a point where their inferiority was most pardonable, and, indeed, only to be expected lost them ground-not enough, indeed, to mediately ordered his arrest, and placed men, however, have had ample opportunity during their stay here of learning pretty nearly all we have to teach them, and they | commandant 2nd Belooch Regiment, and be very unlike most of their nation if | Captain Cook, of 21st Fusiliers; but its they do not turn their opportunity to acdecision has not yet transpired .- Times of count. If they desire to renew the contest, the Times trusts it will be fought out on American waters, that our invaders may learn in their turn to feel what it is to be invaded, and to have the honour of the Stars and Stripes hanging upon five pairs

The Star observes that one remarkabl feature of the race was that all the American rowers hailed from New England They are not merely Harvard students. but New Englanders born and bred-the represenatives of old families whose history is bound up with that of the commonwealth from which they have sprung. A friend! wrote for our friends " over the water." strife for superiority between Old England we have less than usual to chronicle, and New England, on the famous river Hardly anything of political nature that from which so many of the Pilgrim Fathers ven interests the foreign community here, started on their voyage to the gravite rocks as occurred consequently but little can of Massachusetts, is an event which has it expect to find that will interest those historical side, and which, at all events, far away. In all respects affairs are flowing appeals to the imagination of the youth of n an even current, and we hope co solidat both countries. If New England had ing themselves. The price of rice, the sta- gained the trophy of skill, the older country ple food of the Japanese, is high, and some would have shared the triumph of its defear that there will be "rice riots," but scendants. The fates have decided otheras yet we do not hear of any having actually wise; but the Stur feels sure that our taken place, and it is useless to prognosti- American kinsmen would sooner be beaten try with the two Colporteurs of the British | cate. Another of the great powers is seek- by us than by any other nation on the globe. and Foreign Bible Society, who were put ing an alliance with Japan. Austria has and will be glad to see that, old as Eug-

the Daily News holds that the Harvard that further demonstration was stopped now negotiating at Yedo with the officials and Oxford match (it is pleasant to see the two names coupled together!) has made those made by his Excellency at Pekin will not only the whole English, but the whole English speaking world "kin," more than rain pouring down all the time, and though letter of the articles agreed on with the all the treaties of alliance that were eye the storm was raging I went out and sold representatives of other European powers signed, far more than all the convivial com-China the Austrian Government have how like we are to each other in spite of time, of climate, of air, of constitution how singularly the child resembles the parent in blood and bone, and even in wha to see it. The Silkworm's Egg season is continental Europeans would call an out disposition to rush into excesses of thusiasm about a trial of "wind and limb

> commanded very well, he lost for his sid as much as a boat's length. Another half. boat's length may be subtracted for the mevitable relaxation which attends the las few strokes in a lost race; and the remain ing two loats' lengths by which Harvar thus lost may be set down as the measure of the difference between her very strong and excellent form, and the all but perfec work of Oxford. It would be strange indeed if all these years of aquatic tradition and close analysis of rowing had not given the English University something which Harvard-younger in the art-has vet learn. Whatever the secret of the delicate perfection may be, a simple calculation will show it to have been worth about three inches of gain in every one of the five hundred and fifty boats' lengths which make up the course. Till Harvard learns this inner mystery of the art, and till the Oxford oarsmen lose it, the Telegraph does no think the aquatic garland will be wrested from the Dark Blue : but believes that if the Americans had been trained upon the Isis, they would have brought their beat

The Post remarks that the Harvard craw of the five waters. - Mofuscilite. had not learnt the science of getting the most out of a certain total expenditure of force over a long and trying course. An experienced stroke should determine before- said a greenhorn one day, as he entered a hand the pace his crew can keep t p for the hardware shop in New York. The dealer whole distance, and he should not be tempt : took down several parcels, neither of which ed into a out-throat series of viblent spurts suited. "Well, then, what kind do you at the commencement of the race. The want? here is almost every variety." boat in which the Harvardians rowed seem- "Why, I want them that bores square ed in every respect to resemble our own build, and the result can in no way be attributed to any defect in it. The steering was certainly not good, but the defeat and more how seldom a fact is accurately cannot rightly be charged to this cause. The style of rowing is the root of the

WE know a good-natured bachelor so interesting object to take it,

A KURRACHEE SCANDAL KUBRACHER, Sept. 2.

has excited no little indignation and loathing throughout the length and breadth of Sind. The particulars are briefly these. On Friday night, the 29th ultimo, a native girl, about 11 years old, was taken to the bungalow of Captain W. A. Gillespie, first silver unit, and, of course, all the necessary class deputy collector and magistrate for subsidiary coins will be provided. The what purpose it is scarcely necessary to say. The child was soon aften taken to her home. in England went home by the American in a most pitiable state; the following day mail. They are very handsome pieces and she grew worse, and on Sunday morning, magnificent specimens of the gold-smith at about 3 o'clock, she was a corpse. When the fact came to the knowledge of her violator he sent the relatives of the girl Rs. established telegraphic communication be- 14 to hold their tongues; the Police, howtween the Government Dockyard and the ever, got scent of the matter, and enquirofficial head-quarters. So strictly had the ed into the cause of the girl's death, when intention been kept secret that some sur- they were told by her adopted mother that it was fever. Assistant: District Superintween Kobe and Osaka having been refused | tendent (Mr Charles McIver), suspecting this to be a misrepresentation, held an inquest over the body, and then sent it to Dr Hopkins, the civil surgeon, who, assisted prepared the requisite wires and poles for by Dr Martin (at present on general duty in Kurrachee), carefully examined the remains, and gave it as his decided opinion that death was caused through rupture arising out of the violation. On the circumstances being communicated Colonel Lambert, the magistrate of the towards facilitating commerce, and Live district, that officer telegraphed to Captain Gillespie, who had gone to Hydrabad, to return to Kurrachee forthwith. On his arrival, Colonel Lambert furnished him with copies of Mr Mclver's report, and of the proceedings of the Court of Inquest; and called upon him for an explanation has very within twenty-four hours, warning him at powerful engines and is owned by an the same time to be careful in what he said unless he was prepared to clear himself completely of the offence imputed to him; as his conduct in the case was likely to become the subject of investigation by court martial. Captain Gillaspie, after some consideration, desmed it prudent to withhold bis explanation; and solicited a Court of that, good as the race was, it would have Inquiry. Upon this, Sir W. Merewether, been still better if the American crew had the Commissioner, handed Captain Gilnot been manifestly inferior to the English | lespie over to the officer commanding the Sind Division of the Army-Brigadier General Forbes. Considering the gravity the steering. Their coxswain undoubtedly of the charge against him, the General imaccount for anything like the distance by him under the surveillance of a guard of which they were ultimately beaten, but the 21st Fusiliers, consisting of one our juite enough to have made the race much poral and six privates. Yesterday's Court loser than it actually was. The Harvard of Inquiry was assembled, composed of Colonel Woolloomble, O. B., Commanding Royal Artillery in Sind; Major Fairbrother

> NARAIN SING. It appears that Narain Sing, whose name must be familiar to every body acquainted with the incidents of the Sikh War, is still alive at Rangoon, where he is residing in the character of a State detenue, on a pittance of He. 30 a month. Narain has been spoken of as one of the Dewan Moolraj's ieutenants, and in a manner that would ead to the supposition that he took promiuent part in the defence of Mooltan. But such was not the case, and we believe that Abolraj exercised no authority whatever over the man who suddenly started into actoriety in 1848 as a free lasce of very active character, at the head of a very miscellaneous gathering of some hundreds of Dooabees, every one of whom was as ready and anxious as himself to turn the events the passing strife to personal as well as olitical advantage, When Mooltan surrendered, this band formed no part of the garrison, but bad, under Narain, taken possession of a strong mud fort or fortified village on the banks of the Chenaub several marches from Mooltan, and in a measure commanding the route General Whish's force would have to follow to effect a junction with that of Lord Gough, then retiring from Chilliawallali ou Goozerat. It is unnecessary to say that Narain and his band of patriots kept the surrounding country in trepidation, and indeed General Whish exnegled to have to employ heavy ordinance against their stronghold. Narain, however, wisely resolved not to give the Genecal the trouble, and had everything prepared for surrender on the approach of the British force. When that force did appear found it had nothing to do but to send some guards to take possession, most laughable of all, weeks previously Narain Sing and his llowers had been without gunpowder!

If such had not been the case," this rather loose-conscienced Punjabes Dalgetty aid, laughingly, to the British General. " ) assuredly would not have suffered your rave army to approach without a salute of tuns in their honour and your!"

But Narain was sent a prisoner to Lahore, where he was confined in the very same building as Muolraj, and on the same flat. The bearing of these two men under misfortunate was singularly indicative of their ery different antecedents. The one who had been raised up in Oriental luxury, to be suddenly and ignominiously removed from a provincial sovereignty to prison looked s delicate grief-stricken, heart-broken thing, while Narain, whose antecedents had been "doubtful" that nobody sould with sertainty say more concerning them, than that they had been adventurous, was a very picture of robusticity, good spirits and fun-The one soon died, and the other was banish. ed to Burmah, where it now appears he still lives, but is anxious to be permitted to return to his native country. He ought to ; for he has been too long detained away from it considering that his offence involved no m ral turpitude. Under the circumstances we would fain indulge a hope that Mr. Seton-Karr, who was Lord Dalhonsie's Under Foreign Secretary when Narain was home stem and stern with Oxford, or per- man, will exert himself to get him permisbanished and who must know all about the sion to return to lay his bones, in the land

I want to see some of your gimlets,"

TRUTH FILTERED OUT BY TRANSMISSION. - Every day of my life makes me feel more stated; how almost invariably when a story has passed through the mind of a third person it becomes, so far as regards the inpression that it makes in further repetition, little better than a falsehood; and this, too, though the narrator be the most truth-seeking person in existence, - N.

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A CURRACHOROLES Sept 2 THE GREAT COMMISSION "Go ye lifts all the works and preach the Gospel Date every creaters," The Mink avi 15. As when in aleep the mother deems Hite holds her dead/child in her bosom And feels a waren hand, and dreams

Shower again her perished blossom And dester, awester seems to her That image wan then any other; En should the thought within thee stir, Of thy lost children, Island Mother

No voice of freating it haunts thy soul. Across the bitte Pacifics water Above the Wild Attantion roll From many an exiled son and daughte

No visioned forms they wander there Benesth old would primayal shadows; Through level girded islands fair, of of By frozen rocks and sunburnt meadows.

Thy living dead lift whom the spring
Ladried, of spiritual being,
And every Secremental thing
That leads to the unseen All-seeing They hear no more, when Sundays come The old bell swing in village towers

A mossage from the Angels home

Unto this work-day world of ours!

No more they seek in reverent haste Whrist within His hors of My Meiler's roports out Novest the precious Bread, nor tasto

militaisins alrop in the scored Chalice For their no calm shance words are said Aka breathings from a violet bed

That touch the common air with swee Therefore lift up thing arm this day Thurch meet them, Island Mo

Last they forgot her as they stray, And raisely deem they find another

conveniences of a sober life, and the pleasure of a good conscience, if for if we exato light, what can be more just ipleasant; on a more fit and reasonable than that we i most highly esteem and honour him. who is most excellent; that we should bear tent roodness himself, and most beneficial o, we I that we bhould have the most awful holyspand just lithat we should be very goodness, non can hellever fail to perform his tramises i that we should render all due the inscription is read aloud for the erience to him. whose children servants. and subjects we are do Can there be a higher Tee-wang-teng-chu, Thibetan, hind will favorably hear, and is fully cannot be but of west advantage to us, as it the selection is acknowledged and confirmed, procures peace of conscience, a comfortable and an image of the Buddha of boundless hope a freedom from all terrors and scruples, age, one bell clapper, and one resary anxietient Dr. L. Barrow. De The

Wispom makes all the troubles, griefs haits incident to life, whether casua varities, or natural afflictions, easy and L'auffers not busy fancy to alter the natur simplify the degree, or extend the duratio of tham, by representing them more sad Avy, and remediless than they truly are Reen them at a due distance, not babate their influence beyond their

HARITY. Is soy man fallen into dis abnahed and out of countenance, partaki this thems the any man disappointed per or endeavours 1 charity orie gut alas in if it were itself defeated, any, man afflicted with pain or aickness writy, ileoketh, sadly, it sigheth receneth, it fainteth and languisheth wi was la any man pinched with bard want mity it it cannot succour, it will condo oth ill news arrive | charity doth, hear with an unwilling ear, and a sad hear although not particularly, converned; in The sight of a wreck at sea, of a field spread with parnages, of a country desolated. touses burnt and cities ruin d. and of like calamitics incident to mankind, would ouch the bowels of any man tout the ve report of them would affect the heart pharaty inclosed I sale of the

THE HIERAROHY OF THIBET

hast off Mi O. Daily News, Sept. 22.) process of finding out and enthroning the the new embodiment of Taung kaba, as The instance selected, as we mentioned Yesterday, is that of the Ualai Lama who was enthroned in the reign of Taokwang, in 1812. On the death of the reigning any temarkable births which may occur about the time, and delegates are sent to in question four children were pitched

manifested in the air, subsequently to which the spring water in the well of the temple court yard afterwards, there suddenly appeared upon the rock, behind the post station, the light of a flame, which shows for a length of time. Crowds of single trace of tire remained, but upon the rock there was manifested an image of Kwan Yin and them, and shewing not the slightest timidity. They placed a resary in the child's hands, where and well formed, and his expression bright and day robol against this influence. intellectual, it a degree superior to that of ordi-

Another was taken from near Tatelenloo, in Szechuen. Just before his birth. although it was winter, and a radiant appeared on the walls of a neighbouring weecah" governor of that name. He was himself astride upon a grain sack, exclaimed the court was to be opened mext day, and to return to his abode. And this, we may that lady accompanying him. After supmention, was the child whom lot eventually per Judge brown strolled over to the only Tsung-kaba. The mere discovery of these | where he met a number of his legal friends cognise articles used by the previous Dalai appearance was uniformly symmetrical and the tumblers into the judge's pocket. being accompanied by imitation. hold the sight, gave vent aloud to their dmiration of the prodigy." equality of the supernatural intelligence shown by the four children, tend to beneficial to is then are those duties of dicate four embodiments; but no such Thibetan monks, who prepare happily the final proof. . Seven days are devoted perpetual masses | and on the 25th day the effigy of the Emperor Kienlung, completed the subjugation of Thibet, who has continued to receive posthumous honours as its sovereign; a golden vase Uhinese and Thibetan, the infant names of and hope in him, who can and will do what- are reverently placed therein; a chapter pairilege than to have liberty of access to Tai-ning monastery, infant name Na-mokio-mu-to-uth-tsi; present age, four years. Jout doors the ground kept coming up an able to supply our wants In Can we desire This son of a poor fuel-seller is accordingly hitting me in the head." to receive benefits on essientering than the recognised as the genuine embodiment of replied the judge. "But tell me did you saking for them 1) Can a more gentle satis. the Dalai, Lama, and nine prostrations are get all the liquor you drank at Sterrit's ? factionsfor lour offences be required than performed in the direction of Peking, "in |" Every drop of it, your conferring of them, repentance and strong reverential acknowledgment of the Celestial so you got tipsy on his liquor, and then resolutions to amend them? The practice favour." All this having been duly restole his money?" That's it, exactly; I combine piety, of a service so reasonable, ported to the Emperor, the correctness of didn't know what I was doing," Turning of minds from all tormenting cares and coral beads are forwarded to the Envoy for presentation to the "embodiment who forthwith assumes the ecclesiastic garb and tonsure, and awaits an anspicious day for enthronement. His father, in meantime, is raised to the dignity of Kung

> On the loth, your servants escorted; the Embediment to the Monastery at Mount Potala, where reverent prostrations were performed and the ceremonial observances were fulfille before the Sacred Effigy of Your Majesty's elevated ancestor, the Emperor Pure. Un the Scrill containing the Mandate bestowed by Your Majesty upon the Dalai Lama's Embodiment together with the sable cape, the coral Cour resary, etc., and the sum of Ten thousand Tack in silver, being Your Majesty's donations, which they caused to be conveyed upon yellow platform to the Monastery at Mount Potals, and depositi he Dalai Lama's Embodiment in the Hall, Your in a kneeling posture, facing toward the East, the ceremonial of three genufications and nine the throne; whereupon the Chandellor, at the torily forbid that any of them abould obsisances, a great banquet was opened, and the a close. The day was attended by the utmost fine weather, and everything passed off suspiciousand in addition we have to state, that as the Embodiment of the Dalai Lama has now been enthroned, it is proper, in conformity with the existing rules, to cease henceforth from using

the highest of the five ranks of Chines

nobility. The description of the ceremony

enthronement is worth quoting at

them to a chance. The first was born in Sing ang kuin taken to a chance, the month of the selection of the s mone" appears to have been determined in condition by the mere threat of quitting it, we've takes her glass with her pipe, which Bnake,

A brilliant radiance of many solours was accordance with vague report alone; and but they in no case do it. The State, as the she enjoys quite as much as Forecastle, Fresh Water Fish manifested in the air, subsequently to which the a wide door was opened to intrigue and only corporation which cannot die or be. Jack after he has been recong topsails. Snipe Fish a wide door was opened to intrigue and only corporation which cannot die or bestrife. At present, while the native Timbe come insolvent, is the only one which ought | Our friend Mr. Buckland has called to see tau priests enjoy the privilege of Idiscoverof infant | candidates, the Imperial Commissioners retain the virtual power of fore, in practice guarantes, any Company's selection; and as the re-embodiment always solveney. The policyholders, in an agitation manifests itself in a child of tender age, the chiracters Name O mi to Fo soother with the major portion of each reign is passed under their tutelage. The convenience of child was born, the sound of music was heard, and milk dropped upon the pillers of the house. Point of view, is clear; and the wisdom of When the commissioners instituted their in the support given to Tsungkala's efforts to a roughly securate notion of the danger sooner he a monkey than a man if nature quiry, they found, the child sitting cross legged overthrow, an hereditary and dominant priesthood, is equally obvious. The inruler is obviated, and the Government thrown virtually into the hands of Chinese Commissioners. It remains seen whether the native priests will

THE PERILS OF DRINKING BAD Many years ago when the state of Georgia was in its infancy one of the circuit judges mist | was Bela Brown, an ancestor of the recent monastery and shone into the house of his man of ability and integrity, but like a father. His right breast bore the appear good many distinguished persons of that day, he loved a social glass; and whenever after his burth, two peals of thunder were the members of the bar would turn in and When he was about two years old help, he sometimes drank to excess, and he went up a mountain to offer incense, became gloriously fuddled. On one occasion, and a pair of crows came and played with while travelling on circuit, he reached the him; and after his return home he seated village of Dayton, in Dooly county, where that he was riding upon a ninle and wanted took quarters with a relative of his wife. prodigies, however, is only a preliminary A convivial evening was passed; drinks stage of the investigation. The next is to frequently went round, and momewhere cause the wonderful children to be brought | about midnight the honourable Bela was in to Lhassa, where they are required to re- a state of mind quite the reverse of that implied by the old saw, "sober as one of the young lawyers, in a spirit of Panshen Erdeni and his trie official, putting his hand into pooket was greatly perplexed covering three or four silver spoo Tust look here I believe I've stolen aome of Sterritt's appoint !! enough " here's his veritable initials. Pray pocket Post I think I must have been drunk when I came home, wasn't I ?" indevoted Polly : "you know your old habit when you get among these lawyers?" "Cortainly 'I can understand easy enough how make a man steal !! The spoons were ing money from the till at Sterritt's tavern. lancing double shuffles, and when I

to the prosecuting attorney, the worth magistrate said-"This is a most extraor dinary case, Mr Attorney, and one, I thin demanding the clemency of the Co You will, therefore, do nie the Sterritt's. I have reason to know, is enough the protection of this Court. You may release the prisoner. Mr Sheriff."-Georgie

THE FALL OF THE ALBERT

INSURANCE OFFICE. A merchant who cashed a bill drawn at hirty years sight would be considered in he City either a credulous fool or a man who had adopted a very odd mode of giving | features may even be called good-natured. would he take to secure a return of his ed to an extraordinary degree of cleverness. nvestment? He would like, most men would admit, to understand pretty clearly companion is a chicken (a regular ship how his debtor stood, to have some control | chicken, with hardly any feathers), which over his proceedings, to obtain some kind lives with her in her cage day and night. Seroll, embodying Your Majesty's Mandate, to all the information procurable about his effort than even the performing monkeys as the perusal of which the Embodiment listened debtor's affairs. The holder of a life policy seen in the London streets. When in an is precisely in the nosition of that merchant. the power to take all those precautions. being collectively strong enough to impose any terms on the Insurance Offices, or to celestial favours. Having been invested get any law passed not absolutely at variwith the garments conferred by Your Majesty, since, with ordinary justice; yet they not the Embodiment was supported to his seat upon | only take none of them, but they peremphead of the Thibetan priesthood, intened a chant taken. It would be perfectly possible to of Dharani formulas, invoking acapicions fortune. compel every insurance, office to publish All the hut aket'u and lamas having performed statements every half-year showing the ceremonial of enthronement was thus brought to precise degree in which it was in or out of the word "Embodiment."

sing the limits of solvency so clearly, that proper level into her mouth. In this at Mackerel Small, that table were published side by side at the same time most interesting. The Cougor Eels, Small, and at the same time most interesting. The Cougor Eels, Small, and at the same time most interesting. The Cougor Eels, Small, and at the same time most interesting. then left to his life of tutelage and scolu- thirteen could tell to an absolute ma- most extraordinary part of Jenny's perforthematical certainty whether the office mances is that she smokes a pipe. Most Hmail Fish, the circumstances; a certain The whole ceremony which we have thus was in a sound position or not. Policy monkeys will corry a pipe in their Fresh Soles, number of prodigies are selected, their endeavoured to sketch, is of course redolent holders could compel that form of month and pretend to smoke, but this Canton Salmon. things baken up is an urn, and the one of mummery and superstition, though per- account, but they do not in any instance is the first monkey that we have ever Rock Fish. names maken up is an urn, and the case baps little more so than some cognate cere- do it. If the policyholders appointed the known actually to smoke lighted tobacco out Shark Fish. monies which prevail in Europe to the Chairman of the Insurance Company, with of a pipe. Our illustration shows Jeuny Skate.

to be entrusted with Life Insurance business one which could best sagertain, and, thereof only one year, could compel the State to so stupid that any somary who pointed out the coming crash would be ruined, together with the paper which published his communication and the policy-holder who repeated it to his friend. Look at this suspension of the Albert Here is an office in which many thousands of persons 22,800 have invested the savings of a life for the protecthe case, just as well informed without them as with them, not having the smallest idea how the accounts ought to stand. "Whew?" says a keen actuary, looking at the figures, "£8,000,000 liabilities, and only as bringing bim fresh security alone, and siastics, briging them to do all shares, and, therefore, depreciate the value of policies, the policyholders, though they ought to be all-powerful, though, in fact, hey are what the laity are in a Church have not the smallest right of interference, till less the power to say quietly, !! No, that will not do !!! and they will not give Government that power. though they ornelly need information, they dark, who attempted to give them any,-

THE ANDAMAN MONKEY.

(Macaous Andamanensis.) The discovery in the Andaman Islands of new species of duadrumans is a very important addition to our knowledge of this ateresting country. One or two species of nonkevs were known to exist on the adia. ent Nicobar Islands, the common macque Synomolous), being one of them; but mtil Captain Brown brought home the acre species of monkey being found on the aht about it; but the discovery of

9. already furnished us with a man

ng particular attention and affords mate-

Brown, B. N., of ber Majesty's ship Vigiis her name) is supposed to be eight or nine years old. For the last four years she served" on board the ship. and laving passed all the dangers of the Abyssinian caropain, and been discharged with a first class certifica e and silver chain and medal for good conduct, is now waiting to receive her share of the rizes taken during the time she was in her Majesty's service, Jonny stands about 2ft. 4in. in height. In eneral appearance she is most like the pig-tailed " monkey (Macagus nemestrinus) out is at once distinguished from this apehair on the top of the head, which is some what of a V shape, and is parted down the middle. The hair itself is very fine, and it is elegantly arrangantly arranged round the ears. The first impression upon se ing this animal is, that it is intermediate between Macacus rhems and Macacus nemestrinus. The face is by no pleans fierce, the away his money; but supposing him to do | She has been made a great pet by the sait as a matter of business, what precautions lors; the result is that she has been educat-She is fond of company, and her constant of guarantes from the least perishable firm | and accompanies her in her perambularetvants and the secretary of the Chang chia or company accessible; and above all he tions. She walks upright on her hind legs Hurukhra, reverently read out the Golden would like to be sure that he should receive with remarkable facility, and with much less erect attitude she will carry things. Thus with veneration the Imperial gifts, and performed and the policyholders of Great Britain have she will pick up her chicken and run about does her child. The chicken does not seem to mind this in the least. At the word Throw her overboard," Jenny throws the chicken smartly away from her. It has been said that monkeys would talk, but that they know that if they talked they would be made to work. Now the Andamanian Jenny forms an exception to the Eele. "working" part (only that is it very agree- Ovsters. able work) of the story, for if a soda-water | Shrimps. danger from ordinary causes. Unlike most bottle is given to her she will set to work businesses, insurance may be reduced to a to untwist the wire. This done, she will bottle is given to her she will set to work ly and well, to the universal delight of the entire body of clergy and laity of Lassa. This we accordingly bring to Your Majesty's knowledge; ordinary business men can by possibility bottle. Her attitude in drinking is someaffect the solvency of the Company. An thing quite new. She sits down on her Small Turtles, extensive business and accurate accounts haunches, hold the bottle with both hands. Large Tartles. being granted, there are a handred men in and tilts the end of it up with her hind Large Fresh Pish. London who could draw up a table show. foot, so that the liquid shall flow at the Small

the fair Andersanian devoid of ing, or inventing, qualifications on the part and being absolutely disinterested, is also the shyness, repaid the compliments this genby snatching a half-smoked lighted cigarette out of his mouth, and did him the honour to finish it, throwing away the end or safety of any Company; but though the had cast out lot in the far distant Andaman policyholders could alter the law, they are lalands—Lond and Water.

> adve, a ballad typ : and ye man he twirblack mesteche that bovered him aprimilip. She lays aside her broiderie for bys love she stryves to wyndand to weird-like ayr the ladye fayre attunes her tion of their wives and children, yet have mandolin. 1 'l do not care for a wild robeen unable to estimate in any one year the mance of ye days of old, says he, but value of their accurity. They have received father I'd hear, if my ladye please, some secounts but have been, from the nature of touching melodic." And over ye ladye's musyc book ye gallant soldier leans, while alle sings with a sweet and angel voice. Captain Jinks of ye Horse Margies." NUNNERY SCANDALS. The Presse of VI

£600,000 invested, there is a smash coming onna announces that all the Carmelite there;" but to the policyholder, whose convents in Austria will be successively savings depend upon that return, the figures | visited, and an examination has just been mean nothing at all. Why should not made at the convent of Prague, but nothing 2600,000 be sufficient, as well as any has been discovered, nicept that two sisters other sum 1. The only statement intelligible were transferred some years since to a luna. to him is the account of fresh business, and tio asylum. The consistory of Prague bas that he usually considers on one side only; addressed a pastoral letter to various coole- Garlie. not as bringing that and fresh liability | power to counteract the excitament caused besides. As to control or stata guarantee, by the Cracow affair, which is said to give the policyholders have not one, and would great annoyance to the clergy. A report of reject the other. Suppose the Directors of the suicide of another nun at the convent any Company to cook the accounts we do of Carolinenthal, published in a local journot mean that this was the case in the hal, is officially denied, but its authenticity

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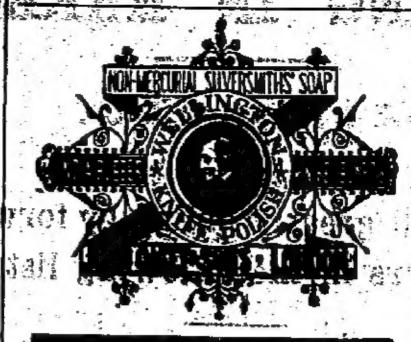
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